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### Plant Quarantine (Regulation of Import into India) (1st Amendment) Order 2006

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**Report Highlights:**

The Ministry of Agriculture recently posted on its website the draft Plant Quarantine (Regulation of Import into India) (First Amendment) Order 2006, on which it seeks comments and suggestions. This amendment is likely to have some ramifications on imports of various planting seeds.

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Includes PSD Changes: No  
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**Introduction:** This report summarizes the draft Plant Quarantine (Regulation of Import into India) (First Amendment) Order 2006, dated January 2006 (exact date not given). This amendment has been notified to the WTO.

**Disclaimer:** This summary is based on a  *cursory* review of the subject announcement and therefore should not, under any circumstances, be viewed as a definitive reading on the regulation in question, or of its implications for U.S. agricultural export trade interests.

**Type of Regulation:** Draft

**Important Dates:**

Publication Date:	January 2006 (exact date not given)
Date notified to the WTO:	February 14, 2006 & February 21, 2006
Final date for comments:	April 2, 2006
Effective Date:	May 3, 2006

**Products Affected:** Planting seeds of various crops.

**Agency in Charge:** Ministry of Agriculture

**Proposed Change:**

This amendment further seeks to rationalize provisions regarding import of certain plants and plant products into India.

For details, see: <http://agricoop.nic.in/gazette/1Amendment2006.doc> or [www.plantquarantineindia.org/pdf/PQOrder%20\(1st%20amendment\)2006%20to%20be%20published\\_17022006.pdf](http://www.plantquarantineindia.org/pdf/PQOrder%20(1st%20amendment)2006%20to%20be%20published_17022006.pdf)

For more information about the Plant Quarantine (Regulation of Import into India) Order 2003, see: <http://agricoop.nic.in/gazette.htm>

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